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TITLE OF INVENTION: VESSEL WITH A MULTI-MODE HULL

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

11 May 2007

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the Notice of Allowability in this case mailed 13 February 2007, the Applicants' attorney comments as follows. The Applicants' attorney thanks the Examiner for allowing the claims. But the Applicants' attorney does not necessarily agree with the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance, and respectfully submits that the claims may be allowable for other reasons.

In the event additional fees are due as a result of this document, payment for those fees has been enclosed in the form of a check. Should further payment be

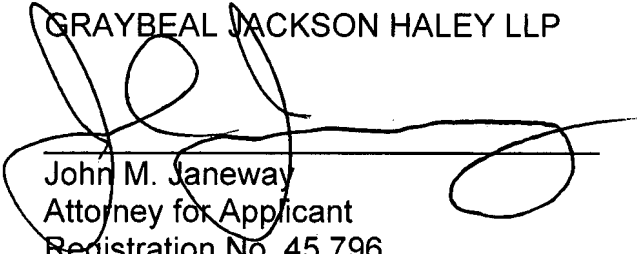
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If the Examiner believes that a phone interview would be helpful, he is respectfully requested to contact the Applicants; attorney, John M. Janeway, at (425) 455-5575.

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